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GENERAL NEWS.

[BY TELEGRAPH TO THE OREGONIAN]

Kere Fustonists Come Over—The State House Guard Removed.

ALBANY, Me Jan 30— several alleged Fustonists took their seats in the house there are four empty seats in the senate board. The Auditor, State Librarian, Secretary of State, Notary and several clerks in the police force left the State House yesterday

Incest

SALEM, R I Jan 30— [illegible] been held for trial on a charge of [illegible] daughter, whose [illegible] has made a complaint in affidavit

The Billiard Stars

ST LOUIS Jan 30 Sexton and Daly billiard players beat Schaefer and Gallagher tonight 1000 to 354 winners average 18 4 22

The Greenback Party Ignored

WILMINGTON, Del Jan 30—Judge Bradford of the U S. circuit court has denied the application of the greenbackers of Sussex county, praying that supervisors of registration be now appointed for them instead of the republicans—the latter having had no place in the field in the last election The judge has now confirmed the democratic and republican supervisors for the whole state

The Wrecked Steamboat Raised

NEW ORLEANS Jan 30—The steamer [illegible] has been floated and is coming up the river under her own steam

Sammy Loses a Railroad Suit.

NEW YORK, Jan 30—The long standing suit of the St. Louis Alton & Terre Haute railroad against S J Tilden, Charles Butler et al., was decided at last by a virtual confession of judgment by defendants and the receivership of several hundred thousand dollars

Death of Stewart Brown.

NEW YORK, Jan 30—Stewart Brown, a well known banker, died to-day, aged 73

Edison's Light.

NEW YORK, Jan 30—Edison has perfected his electric light, and is annoyed by the attentions of scientists

Distress in Ireland and Measures for its Relief.

NEW YORK, Jan. 30—Richard O'Gorman of the Irish relief committee of New York, received a cable dispatch from Edward Harley, lord mayor of Dublin and president of the Mansion house relief committee of Dublin, stating that distress in west of Ireland is rapidly increasing and assuming larger proportions [illegible] Gorman said this morning that daily in receipt of [illegible] From Ireland, all to the effect that [illegible] in Connaught and the northwest [illegible] islands lying off these parts was developing dimensions far exceeding the fears of the people In some districts [illegible] had almost taken the character of famine and the gravest fear is entertained for the spring and early summer months A narrow send £200 to the Mansion House committee, which will make £2100 already by this committee

The executive committee of this city has issued circulars to the people of the United States especially requesting speedy contributions for Stressed Ireland After reciting the miserable condition in many districts the circular says that the Dublin Mansion House committee seems to fulfill all conditions required for the wise and humane distribution of money funds placed in their hands Subscriptions to the Irish relief fund will be received by the treasurer, Henry L Hogan at the Emigrant Industrial Savings Bank, 51 Chambers street

Parnell in his Mettle.

DUBLIN, Jan. 30 —Parnell to-night absolutely stocked the veracity and birth of Lord Alfred Churchill, who by cable from London had denied Parnell's statements made on this country The proceeds of the meetings here and at Holyoke were $5,000

Fire at Chicago.

CHICAGO, Jan. 30—Frank Field & Co's factory, at the corner of Desplains and Washington streets, was burned to-night Loss, $40,000 about two-thirds insured

A First Step Toward Repudiation.

CHICAGO, Jan 30—A decision held yesterday in a question of issuing $400 000 in bonds by this county, to the Union Pacific railway company, to build a railroad north from the Black Hills and Big Horn county carried almost unanimously in favor of issuing the bonds

WASHINGTON CITY.

Inquiring for Bishop's Reception—A Straw in his Favor.

WASHINGTON, Jan 30—A meeting of Senator Bishop's friends will be held here to-night to consider and reception in honor of his services in putting down the recent rebellion in Utah The *National Republican*, which [illegible] for Grant next, last and all he time, [illegible] to show signs of flopping over to Bishop

Further Testimony on the Ute Question by Gov. Pitkin.

WASHINGTON, Jan 30— Gov. Pitkin, of Colorado, to-day resumed his testimony before the house committee on Indian affairs He related the incidents of his interviews with Jack and other Indians to show that Nicaragua had gradually lost influence over the Indians, and that a feeling of disaffection and war spirit had for some time past been gaining ascendency with them He said that some of the scouts had, previous to the Thornburgh fight, been warned that the Indians would attack the troops at or near Milk River, and that the general opinion among the people of Colorado was that the attack was premeditated

Indians before the Senate Finance Committee.

WASHINGTON, Jan 30—Secretary Sherman was before the finance committee to-day in relation to their call for an oral expression of their views on funding questions and other matters. The secretary's remarks, aside from a repetition of his well known views in regard to funding, were for the most part simply an abstract of his last annual report and of the accompanying finance exhibits for the year The conference was not concluded to-day and the secretary will appear before the committee next week

Commissioner Hayt's Dismissal

WASHINGTON, Jan 30—With regard to the contemplated dismissal of Commissioner Hayt, Secretary Schurz states that it was not based upon any statement or confession made by Gen. Hammond, but on information obtained by him in an altogether different manner The position, he says, as yet has been offered to no one nor has he any determined upon his successor The press correspondent called up on Gen Hammond at his hotel, and his reply was refused to allow any one to see him but Gen. Hammond, in response to a note sent down the following I did not see Mr Schurz at Riggs' house or at any other place yesterday or to-day, and no such interview was reported in the morning papers has taken place, and consequently the statements therein are plainly impossible

Major Reno's Case.

Although no official confirmation can be obtained as yet of the decision of the court which has been investigating the charges against Major Reno has recommended his dismissal the accuracy of this report is generally conceded It is further stated unofficially however that Gen Sherman favors a milder course and will recommend that Major Reno be suspended for a year

The Denver Mint.

WASHINGTON Jan 30—The secretary of the treasury has increased the bullion fund of the Denver mint $129 000 and authorized the purchase of silver by the assayer in charge to the loss of less than 10 000 ounces

The Exodus Investigation

The senate exodus committee to-day examined again Chas H Otis who on his former examination admitted that Meriles was the only person in Washington whom he had heard address the ex-duskies on political reasons He believed that almost all of the people of intelligence in North Carolina opposed the exodus

A. A. Bonitz editor of a Goldsboro N C democratic paper testified that it was difficult to account to the exodus Certainly it was [illegible]

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OTTAWA Jan [illegible] one or four hours' blissful oblivion in the arms of a manly young [illegible] to-day when the ice broke and let them [illegible] was found that the person [illegible] was taken to the [illegible]

Parnell is Modest

MONTREAL — [illegible] Parnell [illegible] to the [illegible] and [illegible] to the [illegible]

A Thrilling Spectacle

[illegible] Niagara [illegible] a thrilling [illegible] Niagara fell the night before [illegible] by superstition The [illegible] to the last [illegible] that [illegible] the moment was needed [illegible] to speak of the subject of the bath [illegible]

One Point in Bayard's Favor

From the Boston Herald

This is one point in favor of Mr Bayard in connection with the [illegible] dent that he has overlooked Delaware is such a small state that no one feels sufficiently responsible for the [illegible] which in New York or Ohio would [illegible] had round among the [illegible] unless the present [illegible]

Alfred Morgan who was killed by a falling tree near Hopper [illegible] was the son of an aged couple living near Fairfield

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SATURDAY MORNING JAN 31 1880

BEET SUGAR

Not long since THE OREGONIAN published a letter from England in which stated that the farmers of that valley were preparing to test the practicability of raising sugar beets by planting not less than twenty acres from as many different farms A premium of one hundred dollars is to be given for the best one acre and fifty dollars for the second best It is proposed to test the question whether good sugar beets can be grown in that valley A small quantity raised there last year and set as a sample to the Arvado works in California produced excellent results and if like results are obtained on the great scale to be employed this year the question will be regarded as settled that this great industry of beet sugar production may be successfully established there It is not every soil which will produce beets that can be profitably worked But where such soil is found the beet sugar industry may be developed into an immense and profitable business Results in America are not yet equal to those reached in Europe but persons who have studied the subject do not doubt that this may yet be accomplished The trouble has been with us that as yet only spasmodic efforts have been made to develop beet sugar production On the other hand in Europe the subject has received attention since the year 1811 Governments have lent their encouragement and aid and immense capitol has been employed in developing and conducting the business Germany Austria and France have carried enterprise in this direction to most successful results Austria alone, where the industry is probably less developed than in the other countries named produced in 18 8 enough beet sugar to supply her home demand and two million cental for export besides

An association of the beet sugar manufacturers of Europe was held at Prague on the 4th May last It was reported that the capital invested in two hundred and twenty-nine beet sugar factories which had been working during the year in machinery and buildings alone, amounted to the sum of 100 000 000 florins while the amount employed in the agricultural department—in raising the beets—far exceeded that sum This gives an average capital to the factories of about 473 000 florins or $215 000 There are said to be be at present time only four or five of those factories in operation in the United States. But the capital invested in all of them amounts to little more than is found necessary for one successful factory In Europe Cheap labor, too, in Europe is another advantage But it is not too much to say that the beet sugar business has never had a real trial in the United States

The first beet sugar experiment in our country was made at Northampton, Mass., in the year 1834 But this is hardly counted among the factories which have been started in the United States. In 1801 a factory was started at Chatsworth Ill, whence it was removed some time afterward to Freeport in the same state. The next was at Fond du Lac, Wisconsin. After that followed the experiments at Alvarado and at Sacramento, in California The former of these factories was removed to Soquel and is still in operation, the latter has been abandoned. There is a factory in operation at Portland, Maine, another at Wilmington, Delaware, and perhaps one other in the United States. The commissioner of agriculture is making promises of great results in the production of sugar from sorghum at cheap rates, and perhaps this fact may lead to further postponement of efforts to produce beet sugar, at least till it is seen what is to be done in this new direction.

Mr Meeker in his letter from Puyallop stated that the cost of producing beet sugar at the Alvarado works was now less than six cents a pound, and he has been there and made careful inquiry into the subject The beets sent from Puyallup yielded eleven per cent. of sugar, while another sample sent to Prof Hilgard at Berkeley yielded thirteen per cent. This lowest of these is a good result The average per cent. of sugar obtained from beets grown of bottom lands along the river Seine and in the province of Hanover, Germany, is 9 37 per cent., though it is stated that this is below the general average for the best growing districts of Europe. It would seem that in a locality where the raw product may be obtained in such excellence as that noted in the samples produced at Puyallup time and capital should develop a great industry.

STILL NO SIGN.

Heretofore the democratic party has made aggressive campaigns. But now it is trying the policy of silence, secrecy and stealth. It commands a majority in both branches of congress, and yet is afraid to make a single movement. The session drags tamely on, in extremely sorry contrast with the confederate pyrotechnics of the last session. The party, it is clear, has abandoned all hope of "making capital" for the presidential contest But can it hope to win unless it makes an aggressive fight? It has been put on the defensive by its follies and blunders, and seems unable to recover from blows which it received and which utterly dazed it just when it thought it was on the high road to conquest of the presidency Now if it isn't going into the contest in an aggressive way it might as well relinquish its hopes from the start. For the party which is "out," and which is struggling to get possession of the government, must always be aggressive Otherwise it has no reason to pretend to a real existence

Just now, however, the party is trying by various devices of assumed innocence to obliterate its record on the national question It raised this question in the extra session deliberately marking out for itself a retrogressive and revolutionary programme It attempted to coerce the president into acquiescence in its revolutionary measures It denied the power of the nation to prevent and punish fraud and violence at national elections. It denied the power of the nation to protect citizens in the enjoyment and exercise of their rights and privileges It reasserted the doctrines out of which grew secession and rebellion It now sees how great a mistake it was to do these things—did it but first obtained full possession of the government Hence its present anxiety is to keep itself in the hope that this record may be forgotten before the coming presidential election

But it is impossible to obliterate the bad record of the last two sessions of congress There was a contest which sticks in the public remembrance. The present dilemma of the party is somewhat serious one It could it one one its present course of timidity and hesitation it could not command the full active and earnest support of its adherents who want a war cry and will have one Should it start the war cry—and it has no war cry but the old one—it would again bring down its head the wrath of the country But it makes a mistake if it—or any party in its position which has an aggressive fight to make—thinks its strength is to sit still

Mr Tilden is a funny and sly old fellow and not a little capricious in his attentions to be can ill ates now holding out hopes to one and now to another One of the latest

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s orers is that the deep deceiver of Cipher Alley has caused it to be reported by his closest friends that he does no favor either Randall or Bayard but is inclined to favor Gen McClellan that he does no care himself to be again a candidate but would like to have the honor of leading and naming the nominee These same trusted friends add that while battling to engineer that little bill many will discover that they are but setting up ninepins for the Democracy to knock down

Stark Hall records the cash in use set by private citizens which as he claims represented the taxable wealth of the colored people of Georgia The democratic press turned on them with the cue and mark the cost of the figures The colored people dispute the accuracy of the count They add that on the face of the returns they are poorer than ever before in the history of the state Mr Bullock they were but they grave suggest that their old horses blind mules and dilapidated plows and wagons would be considered valueless with white men as owners The meaning of this is that they are being oppressed by unjust taxation

The London *Times* in discussing the effect of light on a electric light upon gas companies says Gas may survive Mr Edison's invention and we hope and believe that it will survive them and be as profitable as ever to its dependents But it must not expect to be exempted from the law of the survival of the fittest If dim gas and sulphurous gas and dear gas are to disappear from the world we will confess in all truth that we shall part from them with no regret

By our correspondence from Washington City as well as through information from Washington Territory we learn that Mr W W Newlin has been recommended for the position of register of the land office at Vancouver He is very competent and ought to be appointed Surely President Hayes if the matter is fairly stated to him will not reappoint the Kansas excrescence This is a case in which there ought to be no difficulty in making a choice.

There is point in this from the New York *World* "Both parties at Washington we hear are unwilling to provoke discussion of any important issue If this is true the people ought to bring enough pressure to bear on the party leaders to force a discussion There really are millions of people in the country who are not running for president, and whose aggregate welfare is much more important than that of any given aspirant

COOS BAY IN EARLY TIMES.

Some Account of the Early Settlement and Settlers of Coos Bay—Historical Reminiscences, Etc

Not long since we received a pamphlet containing an account of the early settlement and settlers of Coos Bay On looking it over we find that it presents a great number of historical reminiscences of that part of Oregon with personal sketches, description of eccentric characters and other interesting matter The author, there may be reason to suppose, is S S Mann formerly county judge of Coos county A read, even though it be a partial summary of the contents of the pamphlet, will be received with interest by large numbers to whom the entire sketch is inaccessible and THE OREGONIAN is the more desirous to present such summary because it wishes to take every opportunity to call attention to that important part of our state that which no other part has greater resources or is destined to surer wealth and greatness

Previous to 1853 as the writer says no white man had a residence on the fertile shores of Coos Bay The aboriginal Indians alone enjoyed the wealth of game fish fruits and berries which we e in such abundance as to make it an Indian paradise Prior to that time the locality had indeed been visited by a few whites. A small schooner, bound to Umpqua river entered Coos Bay by mistake in 1852, and remained for several weeks, hunting for the settlements At length persons from the Umpqua learning their condition from the Indians, piloted them out of Coos Bay and into the place of their destination During the summer of 1853 P B Marple, a resident of Jackson county made an exploration to the coast passing down the Coquille river Learning the general character of Coos Bay from the Indians, he deemed it a valuable location Returning to Jackson county, he formed a company of about forty persons, who, proceeding to Coos Bay, became the pioneers and early settlers of Coos county Among these are mentioned Marple, Harris Jackson Lockhart, Coffin, Tolman, Noble and Boatman Soon after their advent the discovery of gold and mines at Randolph made a large addition to their number, and Empire City became the depot of supplies for a large mining population Vessels with merchandise and men were attracted to it. In the end the mines proved less rich than was anticipated but the population and capital induced by the excitement remained and was added to the permanence of the settlement Among the settlers of this period are named Northrup & Symonds the originators of the Eastport coal mine Rogers & Flanagan founders of the Newport coal mine James Aiken the principal discoverer of these veins A M Simpson and H H Luse, pioneer sawmill owners Dr Foley, Yoakum, Winchester and others The first coal was discovered at North Bend Soon afterwards similar discoveries were made in several other places On further exploration these discoveries were abandoned and the mines were opened at other points The lumber business has always been an important industry at Coos Bay, though its growth of late years has not kept pace with former expectations A M Simpson built the first saw mill He has since built many more and the bay which have been employed in the large trade created by the numerous saw mills since erected

In these early days angel women 'ancestain, boy and hand to please were comment ably few and scarce Bachelors bails were in the majority The occupants were under the necessity of being their own cooks and housekeepers as well as attending to outdoor avocations They could cuddle the imaginative girl left behind me to their hearts and nothing more An occasional ball gathered the few beauties young and old from far and near to some rough and ready room, brilliantly lighted with tallow dips The fair and few long for geously in calico The bachelors in boots arrayed in their best [illegible] on a hunching hopelessness tailed sacks were prescribed as too pretentious Woe ever should dare to appear in one would have been the subject of ridicule. Dress from the ceremonious gowns or fashionable full be low tripp d the light fantastic toe to [illegible] hurry till daylight dash appear The dress of a marriageable young lad [illegible] a matrimony sensation All the bachelors [illegible] to secure a chance in the quadrille at [illegible] The air one was [illegible] pretentious monotony [illegible] and selected her own time [illegible] he lost [illegible] some happy waltz [illegible] and [illegible] feminine love [illegible] and emotion to hip made men de- [illegible] There were many native [illegible] occupied about who could be pointed [illegible] fighting [illegible] a few [illegible] of bunches. Rather than live on [illegible] [illegible] of [illegible] [illegible] the upper [illegible] and [illegible] then [illegible] will [illegible] [illegible] from the wigwams of the [illegible] and [illegible] [illegible] destiny without any more ceremony Suddenly [illegible] arose darkening the horizon their dominion [illegible]

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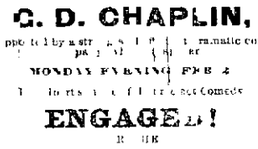

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SATURDAY MORNING JAN 31 1880

THE SCIENCE OF MATERIALIZATION

AN ENTHUSIASTIC SPIRITIST'S SERMON ON SPIRITISM

Whilst Morse and Field are enabling us to send our thoughts under seas and over lands around our world and up and down among all nations by means of the electric wire whilst Edison decarbonizes a horseshoe magnet of paper and subdues the swift lightning to a household candle or makes a set speech on tinfoil declare itself audibly ten thousand miles away — it is so wonderful and so past a degree of credibility that other scientists dwelling on other shores should be able to use the same — hundred elements in nature to combine disintegrate and recombine matter with those laws of life that are but a short distance beyond the experiments of Field and Edison."

Yet here in our midst is a feeble woman (Mrs C M Sawyer, lately of San Francisco) who from infancy has had the world admitted gift of second sight and who has devoted her life to demonstrate the immortality of the souls of men and women and (implied) ch dhood This woman whose wrists and arms are scarred and partially paralyzed from the rude syages of skeptics and bigots and who is a living martyr to this science of materialization which she has published in many lands now submits herself to be chained to the walls of a room or a cab not by passing the chain around her neck — leaving only room for her breath to pass — the ends put through holes and fastened outside, in the constant view of the audience, and she may be chained around the waist at the same time in the same manner

Then when the audience knows that it is not, and cannot be herself there immediately appears at the curtain the full length forms of large bearded men, and all sizes of women and children — the departed — the dead that have gone from among us We see their faces their robes they speak to us in the tones they used on earth — they come in regalia they give the signs and grips of their orders to brethren in the audience they read you your thoughts they call your names and tell you all the events of your lives In short, the departed are returned, the dead are alive, the loved and lost are found, the mourning are comforted and all this is done by the scientific mingling of laws and matter For be it remembered there is no getting outside of God's laws, either in mind or matter

These laws are not hidden, they are not patented, nor purposely wrapt in mystery And so far as persons capable of receiving and explaining them have lent themselves to the heavenly artisans they have been explained. But other sciences and explorations meet many of these facts It is now admitted by all that space and planets are filled — even with terrestrial electricity, which is the power and force of their motion, and is the Almighty arm that upholds the universe." They are also filled with terrestrial magnetism, the uses, purposes, direction and mental government of those powers and forces the ever pervading and omnipotent will of God These forces, acting in man, as a part of this planet, become mind — electricity and mind magnetism, and, subject to his spirit, connect him to infinity and are his deific messengers, servants and forces.

As man is an epitome or microcosm of the universe and of the planet of where he is born, his rehabilitation in an earthly form, embraces all planetary laws and conditions — the cycle, the magnet, the electrode the human, the animal, the human and the spiritual. " Boasting human science stops with matter, it finds *cohered* atoms and experiments with timber, rocks and strata, and seeks to go no further, and laughs at those who would find the *laws* and *principles* involved in those wonderful and unlimited cohesions. It does admit that the magnet will seize the negative poles of ferriginous iron sands and hold them out straight in its invisible fingers, and that is about as far as it goes. It does not ask *what* is the *life* of that tree, the *sensation* of that *animal*, the *vitality* of that *human*, the *immortality* of that *spirit*. Yet in all the ages of the world the *supernatural* has been chronicled, has been evidenced and believed. If it were ever true it is true yet, for the same laws exist now as then. The cycle or form of the planet is first necessary for materialization The audience, with the medium, placed in negative pole of a magnet, of which the spirit head of the medium is the positive. This battery now generates vital electricity and vital magnetism, and all the elements of matter are thus placed subject to the will power and intelligence of the controlling spirits. By vital magnetism they seize the next lower condition, vital electricity, or the life and motive forces of the chela, and use them as they desire. They can disintegrate particles of matter. They can disengage polarities of atoms and reunite them They draw from the living organisms present their vital or life forces, and combine them upon the spirit attributes and form, and reincarnate them to the sight and touch of the audience. These atoms are then depolarized and restored to the medium and her audience by the same will and power that had impinged them on the spirit In the earth life human spirits are clothed, so to say, in flesh, for spirit, being laws and principles, can never be visible except as it is chemically associated with matter, as its garment and expression. These seances afford that chemical condition and materialization, or reincarnation is only a beautiful and truthful law of nature, assuming man of his finite but immortal relationship with the infinite God.

DIRECTIONS FOR FORMING AND CONDUCTING CIRCLES.

Persons going to these circles should be cleanly in their person and free as possible from alcohol and tobacco. They should sit, male and female, or positive and negate alternately. They should join hands or hold a wire that conducts to the medium They should be passive and willing to learn; and it assists greatly to sing beautiful songs, such as "Sweet By-and-Bye," "We are Waiting on the River," "Nearer My God to Thee," &c., all sweet religious songs, that tell of the fatherhood of God and the brotherhood of man, avoid all creedisms and antagonisms be harmonious and not anxious Remember you are in a circle that reaches into the angel world. Don't think of being rude to the angel visitors Don't break the circle, it snaps the electric cord, and detaches the armature from the magnet. Opposing wills and fierce unbelief injure the circle They are detracting magnets Don't attempt to hold on to the hands or seize the form that comes to assure you of your immortality You injure the dematerialization Be patient In a little while, in a few sittings the evidence will all be given to you. Your spirit friends wait only until it is best for you — only a short time if you are kind and patient and live rightly. You have hoped and prayed and tried to believe from other sources, but now you shall know by unrefragable proof, by testimony stronger than anything on earth that your dear father or mother, sister or brother, or beloved one, or smiling infant is safely housed in heaven And you, when life's fitful fever is over" you shall sing with the poet, yes in all your earth life too,

I shall see them stand on the shining strand,
Their white arms over the sea
To welcome my sail, with the boatman pale,
As I near the shores of eternity

You shall be satisfied that in that blessed summer land the dissevered ties of earth will be reunited there, to wander and commune in bowers where the roses and lilies of deathless love bloom forever in the gardens of God and the cities of immortality

G W LAWSON

KEYS YOUNG MAN

THE VALUABLE ADVICE WHICH MARK TWAIN GAVE HIM

One of Mark Twain's latest productions is a letter giving his opinion of private secretaries in which he sits down rather hard upon Mr Kirby private secretary to Postmaster-General Key The letter has caused a great deal of amusement among Mr Kirby's associates in the Postoffice, and that gentleman feels very much torn up in consequence, and probably will not be anxious to tackle the subject again, at least not for some time Some days ago Mr Kirby took occasion to write a letter to Mr Clemens in which he had the temerity to criticise some comments made by the gentleman upon a recent order of the Postoffice Department Mr Kirby felicitously inclosed a tract, issued by the department, saying that it was to meet just such hardened cases as yours and I also send you a copy of the postal laws and hope you will take the trouble to look into the matter thoroughly" It seems by the letter received in reply, that Mr Clemens did look into the matter thoroughly and Mr Kirby now thinks that he made too searching a study of it Among other things it is said that Mr Clemens says

My allow friend why do you linger with the effervescence of youth and a quire of foolscap wasted in vain attempts to write mush while that there is still time to organize the wind in fun hunting nursery rhymes It seems to me that this United States Postoffice Department of the United States that has been called into existence by the Congress of the United States that has been established and maintained at enormous cost for the last century and a half should be chiefly employed in the transportation of mails Therefore I will put it to you as a citizen of the United States whether you are not prostituting the funds of this great department to which you have been appointed by the President of the United States to a degree that is simply criminal when you use it to supply your self with material for your newspaper correspondence Why don't you employ your leisure hours in writing letters to the Postmaster-General and inform him how you are prostituting the funds of this